

**PATENT APPLICATION**  
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

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Masao INOUE, et al.

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For: GRANULAR PESTICIDAL COMPOSITION

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114(c)**

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Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 19, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages. A Petition and payment for a three month extension of time are being filed herewith, extending the time period for response from May 19, 2009 to August 19, 2009. This response is thus timely filed.

A Request for Continued Examination is being filed herewith.

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